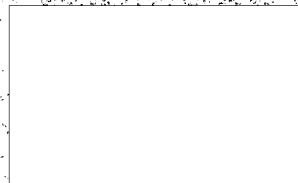


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Helene has seen this and concurs. She has already discussed it with SOVA, [] also supports it.

The IPC Staff is only involved in procedural matters. Substantive issues should be the province of each agency. That is why Helene is designated the point of contact.



DIA review
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Rear Admiral John L. Butts, USN
Director of Naval Intelligence
Office of the Chief of Naval Operations
Washington, D.C. 20350

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter of 11 May regarding our "Directorate of Intelligence Research Plan for 1983." My staff coordinator for the exchange of information on our research programs is Helene L. Boatner, Chief, Product Evaluation Staff I've asked her to contact CDR Herb Bryan, NIC-05, in the near future to arrange a meeting to discuss substantive intelligence research programs. DIA participation would also be most beneficial.

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As you are undoubtedly aware from Clarke Magruder, the Intelligence Producers Council is working to establish procedures for the systematic exchange of information on internal and external research efforts among the individual intelligence producers. Once implemented, we can expect greater cooperation and understanding and, I hope, save time and resources.

Sincerely,

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Robert M. Gates
Deputy Director for Intelligence

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Mr. Robert M. Gates
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Dear Bob,

(C) My apologies for the tardy reply to your most welcome offer to further coordinate our intelligence research and production efforts. Such an initiative will surely enhance our individual accomplishments as well as conserve limited resources. A review of your program as contained in Dir, CIA ltr of 8 February 1983 [redacted] reveals that there is overlap both in our analysis of Soviet weapons systems and technical intelligence collection. Our scheduled intelligence production, which is outlined in the DIA Approved FY83 DOD Scientific & Technical Intelligence Production Schedule and Projected FY 84/85 Schedule (STIPS), DST-MGA-A-003C-82, Nov 82 (S) and the DIA Defense Intelligence Production Schedule (DIPS), FY82, Vol 2, General Intelligence, DDM-2600-36-82, Sept 82 (S), represents the effort available with current resources. This scheduled production is largely oriented to the Soviet threat, but does not represent our entire production effort.

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(U) We would welcome the opportunity to make available to you the full scope of our intelligence production in the hope that in pooling our knowledge, a coordinated approach would maximize our efforts. I recommend that our respective staffs, in coordination with the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA), meet in the near future to exchange information and pursue this matter further.

Sincerely,

John
JOHN L. BUTTS
Rear Admiral, U.S. Navy
Director of Naval Intelligence

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